

RAIL EXECUTIVES
NOT CONSIDERING
WAGE REDUCTION
FOR ALL WORKERS

Statement by Association
Chairman Says General
Wage Cut Question Nev-
er Has Been Discussed.

WAGES OF UNSKILLED
LABOR TO BE SUBJECT
OF FEBRUARY MEET

Revision of Pay Rates for
Section Hands and Other
Unskilled Workers to Be
Planned at Meeting.

Chicago, February 11.—A general reduction in wages of railway employees is not being considered by the Association of Railway Executives, which represents 90 per cent of the trackage of the country, according to a statement issued tonight by Thomas Dewitt Cuyler, chairman of the association.

Cuyler's statement came in response to reports circulated in railroad and union circles that the meeting of railway executives which he today called for February 18 would discuss plans for a general wage reduction on all roads. Such a proposition never has come before the association of its labor committee, Mr. Cuyler said.

To Meet February 18.
The executives will meet February 18 to discuss means of getting the question of a revision of wages of unskilled labor legally before the board, which ruled on February 10 that it could not act on the road's plea for abrogation of the national agreement and for a wage schedule revision for unskilled labor which was asked because of the financial condition of the roads. Matters of finance belonged before the interstate commerce commission, the board said.

Mr. Cuyler's statement follows in part:
"This meeting (February 18) has been called to give the executives of railways opportunity to receive a report from its labor committee regarding developments since the last general meeting of the association was held. The subject of the general reduction of railway wages has not been considered by the association or its labor committee and will not be the subject of consideration at the meeting February 18."

To Consider Steps.
"The railway labor board in its decision on February 10 held that it could not take any action on the labor committee's suggestion that a reduction be made at once in the wages of unskilled labor because conferences had not been held on a controversy developed between the employees and the railways which would not enable the board legally to take jurisdiction of this subject. It is expected that consideration will be given at the meeting in Chicago February 18 as to what steps should be taken by individual roads to get the question of a revision of the wages of unskilled labor properly before the board."

"The labor committee will also report to the association regarding the present status of the proceedings before the labor board concerning the national agreements."

In the meantime, the labor side is preparing to bring before the board the cases of all roads which are alleged to have violated the rulings of the board, but the road denied that it had cut wages. Labor officials representing fifteen railroad brotherhoods, today mapped out their campaign of rebuttal to the railway executives' plea. No session of the board was held today, pending notification from the unions as to when they would be ready to proceed with the case.

Committee at Work.
Frank P. Walsh, retained as counsel for the brotherhoods, declared.

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Riot of Feminine Loveliness
As Georgia's Fairest Girls Dash
In Constitution-Ince Page

Daily come the photos thicker, daily gets the contest faster, daily heap up Ince's troubles; and it goes along. Wonderful ladies, with pretty pictures, crowd the office and pack the stairs; Wilford Patterson, screen factotum, runs the Critteron in side-line style, devoting time and thought and pleasure to receiving lovely girls.

The Constitution and Thomas H. Ince have started something. When they first began to mingle ideas the outlook was rosy enough—everything was lovely, but not too lovely. They had their imaginations in check, but now everything is too lovely, because loveliness is the most available thing around this ballcock and wastepipe. It seems the quest for a screen beauty to acquire both tutelage and a salary check from that redoubtable creator of luminaries, Mr. Ince, is becoming colossal in its activity and interest.

Around the fireside, or hard by a spattering radiator, Dad and Mother

First Pictures of Cyclone-Swept Town of Oconee



Photos by Francis E. Price, Staff Photographer.

Photographs showing the cyclone-swept sections of Oconee, Ga., and the nearby mill settlement of Gardner, where twenty-seven persons were killed Thursday. Upper left: What is left of the schoolhouse at Oconee. Although filled with children at the time of the storm, only one or two of the students were even bruised. The picture just below gives another view of the wrecked school, and shows Mary Goodwin, one of the scholars, studying her lessons for lack of a better place among the wreckage. Upper right: Two-story house uninhabited at Oconee. A family of seven people were eating dinner when the cyclone hit, but none was badly injured. Center: J. L. Yates, of Gardner, and his corncrib, which, although filled with corn, was overturned by the wind. Right center: Neal Myers, president of the Cleveland-Oconee Lumber company, which will rebuild the wrecked homes. Lower left: V. S. Woodward, official of the relief expedition sent out from Atlanta Red Cross headquarters, helping feed a sufferer. Lower center: A few pieces of bed clothing and a pair of shoes was all that remained of this negro's household after the wind had swept the rest away. Lower right: A trunk shown blown into the top of an overturned tree.

Confessed Embezzler
Released by Landis
When Salary Is Told

Chicago, February 11.—After pleading guilty of embezzling \$36,000 from the National City Bank of Ottawa, Ill., Francis J. Carey, 20, former receiving teller of the bank, today was released on his own recognizance by Federal Judge Landis, who criticized officials of the bank for the small salary paid the defendant.

When Carey said his pay was \$30 a month, Judge Landis exclaimed: "This is astounding. It puts the responsibility entirely on the directors of the bank."

"You were not getting any more than the elevator operators in the federal building, and they are notoriously underpaid. Francis, you go on home. I'll send for you again."

ACQUIT MANAGER
OF ANSLEY HOTEL

More Than Fifty Wit-
nesses Examined During
Trial, Which Came to
Close Friday Afternoon.

After being out two hours, a jury in the criminal division of the city court of Atlanta Friday afternoon acquitted Charles A. Creighton, manager of the Ansley hotel, of the charge of conducting a disorderly house.

The case went on trial Tuesday morning and more than fifty witnesses were sworn in during the trial. Arguments were made Thursday morning, after which the case went to the jury.

That no case of a disorderly house has been shown; that nothing aside from the general reputation of all of Atlanta's best hotels has been in regard to the Ansley, and that even if the acts sought to have been established by the state took place, Manager Creighton was not responsible for them, hence not "running" a disorderly house were the main contentions of the defense, represented by Attorney Paul Carpenter.

Solicitor Dorsey argued to the jury that, under the statute forming the basis of the accusation, Manager Creighton is responsible for what transpired in the hotel, and that the state had proved acts of immorality had taken place.

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Tech Professor
Wins Acquittal
And Liquor, Too

Professor J. S. Coon Had
Kept Quart, Untouched,
for 12 Years.

It's all according to the viewpoint as to how the particular quality of Professor Coon's luck is viewed, but it must be admitted that he was fortunate, more fortunate than most.

It was this way: John S. Coon, a professor at the Georgia School of Technology, for many years, who lives at 26 East Kimball street, was given, at Christmas time in 1908, a quart of rich and rare—very than—whisky by a good friend. Professor Coon, being a prohibitionist of the first water, had kept the whisky all this time, forgetting it practically—a great deal more practically than most folks would have forgotten it.

Thursday night, police officers went to the negro house in the rear of Professor Coon's house to investigate a disturbance. Finding no one in the negro house, they investigated the cellar of the professor's home.

There they found the quart, and being law-enforcing officers, they confiscated it and served Dr. Coon with a notice which asked him to appear at police station Friday afternoon to answer charges of violating the prohibition law. He answered the charges all right.

So completely did he respond to the charges that not only did Recorder George E. Johnson dismiss the charges against the Tech instructor, but he was given his whisky back.

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U. S. BLUEJACKETS
TARGETS OF SHOTS
IN VLADIVOSTOK

Three Russian Officers
Are Arrested, Following
Shooting Which Wounds
One American.

Tokio, February 11.—Five American bluejackets were fired at by unknown persons in Vladivostok at 11 o'clock Tuesday night, one of them being wounded, says The Asahi Shimbun's Vladivostok correspondent today.

The Americans reinforced by Russian policemen, arrested three Russian officers formerly under the late General Kappel, once commander of the western armies of the Qmuk government, the correspondent adds.

The impression in Vladivostok, according to the correspondent, is that the attack was arranged by communists with the object of straining relations between Japan and the United States.

Washington, February 11.—The attack on five American bluejackets at Vladivostok Tuesday night, as announced by The Asahi Shimbun, of Tokyo, had not been reported tonight to the navy department. In the absence of an official report, department officials refused comment.

NEGROES DROWNED
AS INDIAN RIVER
TURNS TO FLOOD

Montgomery, Ala., February 11.—News reached here today of the drowning of John Coleman and Henry Merriweather, negroes, at Fort Deposit, as a result of the flood stage of Indian creek.

Split Not Likely
In Democratic
Committee Ranks

Request for Resignation of
Chairman White Not Prob-
able, Says Hollomon.

Washington, February 11.—(Special.)—The executive subcommittee of the democratic national committee, called to meet in Washington next Thursday, will very probably not only not ask for the resignation of Chairman White, but will not call a full committee for March 1, as has been suggested, for that purpose.

On the other hand, the executive committee will officially take up and dispose of those matters for which it was convened, which relate principally to unfinished business brought over from the campaign, including a number of unpaid bills, and the re-establishment of a small working organization, getting the preliminaries in shape for such details as may naturally come before the committee during the routine of the next few months, pending the congressional campaign of next year, in which it will take an active part.

The report of Treasurer Marsh will be the most important matter, and the committee will be gratified to find that arrangements have practically been made for the payment of the campaign deficit, so much so, indeed, that no further serious concern need be given to this phase of the committee's trouble.

Insurgent Leader.
The executive committee will very probably be called upon to give attention to several suggestions for "organization," and the claims of Committeeman Love, of Texas, and Robert W. Woolley, formerly of the interstate commerce commission, who was the prime backer of Mr. McAdoo in the pre-convention campaign last summer, and who is

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VOTERS IN TENTH
WARD WILL WORK
FOR BOND SUCCESS

Issue Also Indorsed Fri-
day by Civitan Club and
by Post No. 1 of Amer-
ican Legion.

Pledging to the success of the bond campaign their united efforts and support, every man, woman and child present at a largely attended meeting at the Adair school in the tenth ward Friday night, voted to indorse, as a whole, the proposed bond issue of \$3,550,000.

The other outstanding features of the day were unanimous indorsements of the bonding proposal by the Civitan club and Post No. 1 of the American Legion.

Action of the tenth ward voters came as the climax to an enthusiastic session at which bonds were discussed by Mayor Ker, School Superintendent W. F. Dykes, Dr. H. N. Alford and T. Frank Callaway, committeemen representing the tenth ward, and spirited talks by a dozen other citizens. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Adair School Community Center association, one of the liveliest ward civic organizations in the city.

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HOMELESS PEOPLE
AND DEBRIS PILES
NOW MARK PLACE
CALLED GARDNER

Red Cross Tents From
Atlanta Dot Melancholy
Waste Where Tornado
Brought Sorrow to Geor-
gia Village.

DEATH LIST TOTALS
TWENTY-NINE DEAD
AND OTHERS DYING

Tales of Sublime Heroism
Mingle With Sorrow's
Tears as Survivors Tell
Story of Great Wind
That Swept Away Their
Homes.

AID FOR STORM VICTIMS
ASKED OF GOVERNOR

The following telegram was received yesterday by Governor Hugh M. Dorsey, in reply to his inquiry asking if outside aid is needed in the storm district:
"Sandersville, Ga.—Hon. Hugh M. Dorsey, Governor: Replying to your message and kind offer to assistance, will say that the situation resulting from the storm in this county, very serious. Thirty bodies have already been found and ten are missing who have not been found; forty more injured, twenty-two in critical condition. Red Cross is in charge. It is probable Washington county people can provide relief, but outside help would be welcomed. Damage very heavy and hundreds homeless and needy."
(Signed) "A. W. EVANS."
Governor Dorsey requested that all contributions for the relief of the storm victims be sent direct to A. W. Evans at Sandersville, Ga.

BY MARION KENDRICK,
Special Staff Correspondent.

Gardner, Ga., February 12.—(Special.)—Where the little lumber hamlet of Gardner once stood, there now remains only a splintered mass of the debris of twenty-two tenant houses, barns, uprooted trees and dead animals, intermittently dotted with Atlanta Red Cross tents, which are being used as homes until the new buildings, to be erected immediately, are completed by the Cleveland-Oconee Lumber company. A melancholy spirit of disaster hovers over the entire immediate territory of Washington county, for in the few remaining shacks twenty-seven caskets hold the bodies of twenty-eight negroes and one white lad, while in the Sandersville hospital and other places thirty or more people lay injured—all the ghastly toll of Thursday's terrible tornado.

After making a complete survey of the damage done the property of the Cleveland-Oconee Lumber company, which included the destroyed homes in the mill town, Neil Meier, president and secretary, announced late last night that the total damage would reach \$35,000. The damage of property in and around Oconee, a few miles from Gardner, was estimated at \$15,000.

NUMBER OF WOUNDED
WILL REACH THIRTY.

Lagare Davis, of the American Red Cross, who reached Gardner at 5 o'clock Friday morning, stated that the number of wounded will reach approximately thirty. Rev.

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The Weather
FAIR

Washington—Forecast:
Georgia—Fair Saturday and Sunday, not much change in temperature.

Local Weather Report.
Highest temperature 49
Lowest temperature 40
Mean temperature 44
Normal temperature 44
Rainfall in past 24 hours, ins. 3.0
Excess since Jan. 1st of mo., inches . . . 1.24
Excess since January 1, inches . . . 1.56

7 a. m. Noon. 7 p. m.

Dry temperature . . . 41 46 41

Wet bulb . . . 39 42 39

Rel. humidity . . . 84 75 84

Reports of Weather Bureau Stations

STATIONS and State of WEATHER. Temperature, Max. Min. and 24 hrs. Rainfall.

ATLANTA, Ga., city . . . 41 49 .00

Birmingham, Ala. . . 41 49 .00

Boston, Mass. . . 28 36 .20

Buffalo, N. Y. . . 30 39 .20

Charleston, S. C. . . 54 62 .00

Chicago, Ill. . . 36 38 .00

Cleveland, Ohio . . . 30 38 .00

Des Moines, Ia. . . 36 38 .16

Galveston, Texas . . . 58 68 .00

Hatteras, N. C. . . 52 68 .00

Harre, N. C. . . 58 64 .00

Jacksonville, Fla. . . 56 68 .00

Kalamazoo, Mich. . . 36 44 .00

Memphis, Tenn. . . 50 58 .00

Mobile, Ala. . . 50 62 .00

Montgomery, Ala. . . 52 58 .00

New Orleans, La. . . 58 62 .00

New York, N. Y. . . 34 42 .14

N. Platte, Neb. . . 38 46 .00

Oklahoma, Okla. . . 46 54 .00

Phoenix, Ariz. . . 74 78 .00

Pittsburgh, Pa. . . 34 42 .10

Raleigh, N. C. . . 46 54 .00

St. Louis, Mo. . . 34 42 .00

St. Paul, Minn. . . 30 38 .00

St. Petersburg, Fla. . . 62 68 .00

Tampa, Fla. . . 58 66 .00

Waco, Tex. . . 30 34 .00

Wichita, Kan. . . 54 58 .00

Washington, D. C. . . 40 48 .00

C. F. von HERRMANN,
Meteorologist, Weather Bureau.

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LEGION COMMENDS CHARLES G. DAWES

"Picturesque" Testimony Praised—Reduction of Size of Standing Army Condemned by Atlanta Post.

Post No. 1 of the American Legion unanimously indorsed the municipal bond issue of \$3,850,000, at a meeting held Friday night at the chamber of commerce. Charles G. Dawes, of Chicago, former brigadier general, was also commended by the post for his "picturesque" testimony before the congressional committee investigating the conduct of the war.

E. Jackson Winslett, national vice commander of the legion, severely criticized the government for its neglect of wounded and disabled men. He called attention to the fact that 236,000 former service men are now disabled and incapacitated as the result of the war.

"It is a disgrace to any government to allow 71,000 mental cases to go without attention for two years, during which time not one dollar and not one bed has been available for their care," he said.

Have Five Claims. "Five thousand disabled service men filed claims, with proper medical support, and after five months of waiting, the senate did nothing about it. This is not due to opposition, but to ignorance of the conditions. We need the co-operation of all persons to inform the public and arouse our legislators."

A temporary unit of the women's auxiliary of the post was organized by about fifteen women present at the meeting.

Vice Commander Winslett and State Commander A. L. Hanson, of Calhoun, Ga., were guests of the post at a luncheon Friday noon. The fourfold compensation plan, sponsored by the legion, Mr. Winslett told the members of the post, would not cost as much as the conduct of the war for two months.

At the evening meeting the post went on record opposing reduction in the standing army and branded as "monstrous" the efforts to reduce the army by "the sources which hitherto had been most vociferous in denouncing our condition of unpreparedness."

Must Help Soldiers. A resolution condemning as "a national crime" any failure by the government to use all means to help the soldiers, and referring to such failure as "callous abandonment wholly beyond explanation," was unanimously adopted.

The resolution indorsing the bond issue was as follows: "American Legion Post No. 1, recognizing the civic responsibility of its members to the community, and from its own acquaintance with the existing deplorable school, sanitary and street conditions, which the proposition will serve to alleviate, calls upon its members to support the bond issue in the approaching special election, and joins with other civic organizations in commending the proposition to all thoughtful and patriotic citizens who have the genuine welfare of our beloved city at heart."

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parted last night before he had introduced his arguments. It was said in labor circles he probably would return to the city next week.

Meanwhile a committee of eight-teen brotherhood officers is working on a reply to the specific objections to various rules as presented by the carriers' committee during the last five weeks.

When the board adjourned yesterday it set Monday as the tentative date for returning, following the usual custom of reserving Friday and Saturday for executive sessions.

Cleveland, Ohio, February 11.—The four railroad brotherhood chiefs will meet in Chicago February 11 to consider matters relating to electric lines and will be prepared to appear before the railroad labor board on the following day, W. G. C. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Trainmen, announced today.

Davidson-Jones 17 East Mitchell St.

TODAY'S SPECIALS

No. 3 Rosedale Peaches 29c

No. 3 Libby's Yellow Cling Peaches, 1.00

3 cans No. 2 Rosedale Peaches 25c

No. 3 Apricots 25c

All in Heavy Syrup No. 10 Com-pound 1.11

No. 10 Pure Lard 1.57

More Bargains in the Jones' Box

PINK CHERRY COR. PRYOR AND HOUSTON

Fancy Legs o' Spring Lamb 35c

Prominent Legion Visitors



Let to right: A. L. Henson, state commander of the American Legion, and E. Jackson Winslett, national vice commander.

To insure themselves against oversleeping the Chinese sometimes tie a long piece of joss stick on one of their thumbs, light it and lie down to rest. When the stick burns down to the flesh the pain awakens them and they quickly arise.

Gold is yellow only by reflected light. If a leaf of gold, as ordinarily used by gliders, be placed between two pieces of glass and held up to the light, it will be seen to transmit green light.

One hundred and three thousand veterans in the Grand Army of the Republic now answer to roll call. In 1890 the organization had a membership of 403,489 men.

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Highest Quality Bakery Products

Large Loaves Home-Made Bread, 2 for 25c

Parker House Rolls, 3 dozen 25c

Milk Biscuits, dozen 15c

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VALENTINE PARTY TO BE HELD TODAY AT THE PLAYROOM

There will be a Valentine party at the playroom, Peachtree Arcade, this afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock, given by the Atlanta Woman's club for the benefit of the playroom.

The feature of the entertainment will be a "heart hunt," with two prizes offered, one to the boy and girl who find the most hearts. In addition, Julian Boehm and Jack Knowlton will assist Gerard-Tufts, a well known local amateur musician.

Another feature of the entertainment will be a fish pond, in which children will fish for valentines instead of fish.

An admission of 25 cents will be charged, which includes refreshments to be served, but an additional charge of 10 cents will be made for ice cream cones and the fish pond.

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John G. Cato

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And live a life that's true.

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Do just like all the rest—

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Little Pig Hams, 25c

Pork, Veal and Beef Roast, 20c

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Cato's Famous Pork Sausage

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Chuck Roast 20c

Rib and Brisket Stew 10c

Porterhouse Steak 40c

Loin Steak 35c

Round Steak 35c

MILK-FED VEAL

Veal Round or Loin 35c

Steak 25c

Veal Loin Chops 25c

Veal Round Roast 30c

Veal Rib Chops 15c

WHITEHALL STREET PROPERTY IS SOLD FOR \$3,000 PROFIT

A really deal amounting to \$163,000 was announced Friday morning, when Keegan & Chambers gave out the sale of 32 Whitehall street, a brick store room, 31 by 100 feet to the Massell Realty company. This property was owned by Davis & Latham, who purchased it several years ago from Walter P. Andrews for \$160,000. The last price paid for the property represents \$3,000 a front foot.

The store on this property, which was occupied for several years by

Buchanan & Shelton

84 N. FORSYTH ST.

Sno-White, 8 lbs. net 1.08

Sno-White, 4 lbs. net 59c

Dainty Roller Champion or 3 K Flour, 12-lb. bag 99c

24-lb. bag 1.98

Crisco, all sizes, per lb. 20c

Old-Fashioned Buckwheat, per lb. 12 1/2c

Fresh Ground Graham Flour, per lb. 10c

Kingan's Pure Lard, 5 lbs. net 99c

10 pounds 1.98

Grandmother's, No. 10 1.95

Pure Ribbon Cane Syrup, per gallon 90c

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No. 10 Com-pound 1.10

No. 5 Com-pound 60c

Pork Ham

Rump Roast

Rib Roast

Pork Roast

Veal Roast

Lamb Roast

Good Steak

Veal Chops

Pork Shoulder (Whole) 20c

Lamb Breast

Pot Roast

Brisket Roast 15c

Good Stew Meat 10c

Creamery Butter 49c

Sliced Breakfast Bacon 40c

National Market

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Main 6181

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No. 5 Compound Lard 65c

10 lbs Net Pure Lard 1.69

Eagle Milk 25c

Morning Joy Coffee 35c

France-American Coffee 35c

No. 3 Can Fat Herring 10c

Kellogg's Corn Flakes 10c

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Next to Federal Bakery

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Veal Stew 7 1/2c

Pig Heads 7 1/2c

Beef Stew 10c

Chuck Roast 12 1/2c

Veal Roast 12 1/2c

Rump Roast 15c

Pig Sides 15c

Pork Shoulder 15c

Round Steak 20c

Loin Steak 20c

Porterhouse Steak 20c

Pork Hams 20c

Pork Loin Roast 20c

Certified Bacon, Pound Cartons 38c

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33 Edgewood 24 S. Broad St.

20 North Broad Street.

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Pork Shoulders 20c

Pork Roast 25c

Rump Roast 25c

Choice Beef Roast 25c

Rib Roast 25c

Pork Chops 30c

Sparr ribs 20c

Sliced Breakfast Bacon 35c

Pure Pork Sausage 25c

Pork Hams 25c

Pure Lard 15c

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ANOTHER CASK OF THOSE FINE OLIVES Per Quart 69c

Fresh Fruits

Fancy Grapefruit—3 for

for the job of governor-general of the Philippines. The qualifications of both for the work have been pointed out by their respective friends and since neither are to figure in the cabinet and politicians have felt that Wood, in particular, would be a liability under Harding, the opportunity to succeed Harrison is expected to be offered at the latest to Wood. It is perhaps natural that in figuring on the Panama Canal Zone post, the name of General Goethals is mentioned by the politicians. Goethals, however, has established a big construction business in the States and it is his friends, and not he, who would accept any political office.

An hydroelectric plant of 20,000-horsepower is being constructed in France to supply power to Lyon.

An hydroelectric plant of 20,000-horsepower has been completed in France to supply power to Lyon.

ECZEMA IN LARGE WATER BLISTERS

**Around Edges of Hair and
Nose. Cuticura Heals.**

"Eczema broke out in large water blisters around the edges of my hair, temples, and nose. After a few days they turned to sore eruptions, which caused terrible disfigurement, also itching and burning. The itching and burning were so intense that I scratched and irritated the affected parts and lost rest at night. My

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URBAN LEAGUE HOLDS
MASS MEETING SUNDAY

The annual meeting of the Atlanta Urban League will be held Sunday afternoon at Big Bethel church. Music will be rendered by Morehouse orchestra and glee club, Atlanta university quartet and the famous Williams jubilee singers. Principal address will be delivered by Eugene Kinckle Jones, executive secretary, National Urban League of New York city. Address will also be delivered by Dr. John Hope, Dr. C. B. Wilmer, Jesse O. Thomas, Field secretary National Urban League, Dr. Plato T. Durham, honorary chairman, will preside.

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BONDS INDORSED
BY CIVITAN CLUB

Addresses Made in Behalf of Georgia Children's Home Society.

The Civitan club Friday unanimously and unreservedly indorsed the proposed bond issue of \$8,850,000 proposed for improvements and civic betterments in Atlanta. The action on this question was unanimous, and followed a motion made by Wade Davis, who offered a resolution favoring the big bond issue. The meeting of the Civitan club Friday, which was held in the breakfast room of the Kimball house, was to have been in honor of Lee Ashcraft and Mel R. Wilkinson, of the firm of Wilkinson & Ashcraft, but because of the illness of Mr. Wilkinson, and the fact that Mr. Ashcraft was detained by his duties as president of the chamber of commerce, which is entertaining prominent visitors from Cleveland, Ohio, the program was switched, and the leading subject for discussion during the luncheon was the coming campaign to raise \$40,000 for the Georgia Children's Home society.

Addresses were made on behalf of this institution by Stiles Hopkins, a prominent attorney and lawyer, and a prominent attorney of the city court, both of whom are on the official board of the institution. Julian Bohm, president of the Civitan club, who is also an official member of the Georgia Children's Home society, and who received a high tribute from Lowry Arnold as an unselfish worker, pledged his efforts to raise his quota for the society, and called upon his brother Civitans to aid him.

The question of a city market for Atlanta was also discussed by Wade Davis, who has recently returned from Savannah, where he took pains to investigate the public market in that city. Mr. Davis showed figures that he had gathered that Savannah, through rentals of space in the market building, and other means of raising funds from the enterprise, the city had derived a gross income of more than \$30,000 a year, with an operating expense of approximately \$8,000, leaving a net income to the municipality of something like \$22,000.

Tax Collector W. R. Richardson, a member of the organization was on hand with blanks by which to register all Civitans who have paid their 1934 taxes, but who have not registered for the election. There were many Civitans to take advantage of Mr. Richardson's kindness.

was announced by President Julian Bohm that the Civitan club, on March 25, the Civitans will give a big banquet in honor of the visit to this city of international officers of the organization, and the question of raising a delegation to attend the Civitan convention in Birmingham, June 6 and 7, was discussed. President Bohm appointed C. C. Baggett, W. R. Richardson and C. C. Baggett a committee to promote the delegation to the national convention in Birmingham.

The entertainment committee presented a quartet, consisting of the Methodist church, composed of Mrs.

Legare Davis, Miss Willie Shields, L. L. White and Leslie Hubbard, accompanied by Miss Ethel Beyer. In addition to several quartets, which greatly delighted the Civitans, Mrs. Legare Davis and Miss Willie Shields rendered solos, both of which received enthusiastic encores. The entertainment committee received a ringing vote of thanks for choosing the Druid Hills church quartet for the entertainment Friday.

A so-called psychological stunt was given by George Phillips, in which Captain W. D. Ellis and Frank Dobb were involved, causing much laughing and getting a donation to the Tallulah Falls Industrial school.

Served in Wrong Jail,
But Sullens Will Get
Credit for His "Time"

W. S. Sullens, alleged Lumpkin county distiller, convicted in the federal district court on September 1, 1930, and sentenced to serve four months in the Fulton county jail, but who, through error, served several weeks in the Hall county jail before the mistake was discovered, will not be required to serve the entire four-month sentence in the lower here, as was first thought, necessary by federal officials Thursday morning, when the matter was brought to the attention of Judge Samuel H. Sibbey.

Judge Sibbey issued an order Thursday morning changing the place of confinement from the Fulton tower to the jail at Gainesville, where the prisoner already has several weeks to his credit.

As indicated by conferences solicited by Mrs. W. H. Felton, of Cartersville, Ga., the court granted a postponement of execution of sentence until November 15, laboring under the misapprehension that he was to "do his time" in Gainesville, he surrendered there.

A few days before Christmas he was released for a few days, to be with his family, a quarrel having occurred which resulted in the death of Ed Sullens, his brother, and the arrest of Leck Sullens, another brother, charged with the killing.

January 15 he again presented himself at the Gainesville jail to complete his sentence.

Judge Sibbey designated the Hall county jail as the place of confinement to save expense to the marshal's office which would arise if a transfer was made, and in order to give the prisoner the benefit of the time already served.

DR. J. L. JOHNSON DIES
AT HOME OF DAUGHTER

Dr. J. L. Johnson, 68 years old, died Friday afternoon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. J. Magill, 170 Peachtree avenue, N. E., after an illness of several months. He had been ill since December 12, when he suffered a stroke of paralysis.

He is survived by four daughters, Mrs. L. J. Magill, Mrs. H. W. Magill, Mrs. H. W. Lyons, of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. C. A. Aycock, of Paul E. Johnson.

He was a member of the Ponce de Leon avenue Baptist church, member of Georgia lodge No. 96, F. & A. M. He practiced dentistry at Lithonia, Ga., from 1896, and was treasurer of DeKalb county for 15 years. For years past he had been connected with the real estate firm of Sharp & Boylston.

The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. L. J. Magill, 170 Peachtree avenue, N. E., and the interment will be at West View.

ADAMSON TO DISPENSE
G. O. P. PLUMS, REPORT

Believed Effort Will Be Made to Conciliate People of South.

Reports to the effect that Charles Adamson, president of the Cedar-town Cotton and Export company, and a former resident of Pennsylvania, will have charge of dispensing Georgia patronage during the incumbency of Warren G. Harding, as president of the United States, were given out Friday. Mr. Adamson, though a Georgian now, is a native of Pennsylvania, and is a republican.

According to reports given out here, Mr. Adamson will be in complete charge of distributing federal patronage in this state during the coming republican administration, and it is also declared that the federal appointees for offices in this state will be white men. Mr. Adamson's selection as purveyor of patronage for Georgia, it is declared, will meet with general approval of leading democrats and republicans.

The selection of Mr. Adamson, whose well known views of friendliness to the southern people was made, it is understood, because of the Stone Mountain Rials new administration to cultivate a spirit of conciliation and co-operation between the people of this section and the incoming administration.

The post that will be offered to Henry Lincoln Johnson, negro member of the republican executive committee for Georgia, it is understood, will be that of minister to Haiti, which will pay him a salary of \$10,000 a year. It is also declared that Johnson wants this place.

It is reported that the probable choice of the republican administration for United States district attorney for the northern district of Georgia, will be C. W. G. Hager, of the firm of Green, Tilson & McKinney. Should this office be given him, Mr. Hager will succeed Hooper Alexander, who has occupied the office for several years.

Congressman Simpson, of the ninth district of Virginia, the only republican member of the national house from that state, a republican who understands the southern viewpoint, is a friend of many democratic members of the house, is said to be giving the new administration some very influential advice concerning federal affairs in the south.

Congressman Simpson is a friend of Mr. Tilson, Mr. Adamson and other leading white republicans in Georgia. Mr. Simpson, of Connecticut, a brother of Attorney Tilson, of Atlanta, has been prominently mentioned for a place in President Harding's cabinet.

NEW AMBASSADOR
ARRIVES FROM ITALY

New York, February 11.—Senator Roland Riccio, recently appointed ambassador from Italy to the United States, arrived here today on the Steamer Duquesne, from Genoa.

Atlanta to Entertain
Builders' Delegates
Bound for Savannah

Four hundred delegates to the annual convention of the National Association of Builders' Exchanges are going to stop over in Atlanta Sunday to be entertained before they get down to business in Savannah, where the convention is to be held.

And, according to the program outlined for their stay in Atlanta, there's going to be no joke about the entertainment. The delegates coming from Portland, Ore.; Detroit, Chicago, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, St. Joe, Little Rock, Memphis, Milwaukee, Cincinnati, Youngstown, Dayton and several other flag stations will reach the city at 9 a. m. and will be taken to the Kimball house for breakfast, where the following menu will be served:

Bull-meat Bouillon
Peach Blossoms on Ice
American Beauties on Parade
Unstuffed Chicken in Trouble
Half Stewed Prunes on the Shelf
Sun-kissed Raisins "unfermented"
of the Stone Mountain Rials
Arabian Coffee
Sahara Milk
Georgia Moonshine

The final course is expected to be the piece de resistance and is further expected to prepare adequately the guests for the pleasures of a ride to Lakewood, where a barbecue will be served during the afternoon with some more of the final breakfast course.

The delegates will depart at 3:30 p. m. from the Terminal station for Savannah, accompanied by about fifty Atlanta delegates, including Na-

Drop Announced
In Price of Meal,
Sugar and Flour

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NEGRO ORDERLIES
FINED FOR BATTLE
AT GRADY HOSPITAL

In addition to drawing fines in record court Friday morning for the fight staged in the dining room of the Grady hospital Thursday night, Huddy Hudson and Joe Cox, two negro orderlies at the hospital, will be summarily disciplined by superintendent Steve R. Johnston. Hudson drew a \$16 fine and Cox \$11. The trouble is said to have grown out of a dispute over a teacup.

URBAN LEAGUE TO HEAR
NEGRO SOCIAL WORKER

The first annual meeting of the Atlanta Urban League will be held at Bethel church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The principal address will be given by Eugene Kinckle Jones, executive secretary, National Urban League, New York city. Secretary Jones is one of the outstanding negro social workers of the country. All members and friends of the Atlanta Urban League are cordially invited to be present.

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Of most general interest will be the drop in sugar, which up until the past few days has ruled at an average of \$8.10 per 100 pounds wholesale. The bureau reported that sugar now is selling in the local market at \$7.50 per 100 pounds, a drop of 60 cents.

A decline of 50 cents per 100 pounds has also been registered by corn meal prices, the old quotation being \$2.90 and the new price \$2.40. Flour has slumped about \$1 per barrel, according to the bureau, which quotes former prices of \$14.40 and new prices at \$13.40. A drop in feedstuffs generally was in the same proportion. Prices quoted by the bureau of markets represent an average of those asked by local wholesale dealers. Business concerns here consulted by The Constitution verified the accuracy of the bureau's report.

Brislane Is Hanged.

Chicago, February 11.—Edward Brislane was hanged in the county jail here at 9:10 a. m. for the murder of William Mills, manager of a motion picture theater. Mills was killed in a hold up of the box office of the theater.

Bishop Seriously Ill.

Knoxville, Tenn., February 11.—The condition of Bishop John P. Farrelly, of Cleveland diocese, who is ill here with pneumonia, was today reported to be "serious." Bishop Farrelly's Cleveland physician will not be called here, however, it was announced.

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SOCIAL ITEMS

Mrs. Herbert Gorman and children are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. S. Cuyburn, in Palm Beach, Fla.

Mrs. Jack Cutler, Sr., of Macon, is visiting Mrs. Charles A. Conklin at her home on Peachtree road.

Mrs. Sydney Perry Cooper, of Henderson, N. C., is visiting Mrs. George Holliday at the Summer apartments on Juniper street.

Mrs. R. J. Hudson's tea Thursday afternoon complimented Miss Matie Lou Richardson, a bride-elect.

Mrs. F. M. Butt and Miss Marian Butt, who were at the Hotel Mon Air, Augusta, at the time of the fire, have arrived in Atlanta and are at the Georgian Terrace.

Mrs. Herman Elias, of New York, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Benjamin Elias.

Mrs. Spencer Struble, of Seattle, arrives today for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Felder, at 21 East Eighth street.

Miss Lillian Flynn has been ill for several days at her apartments in the Ponce de Leon.

The friends of Mrs. Richard Beard will regret to learn that he is ill at the Georgia Baptist hospital.

Mr. K. Berger has returned from New York and other points in the east.

Miss Frances Harrison will be honor guest at a party this afternoon at which her mother, Mrs. James S. Harrison, will entertain thirty-six guests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Eugene Henderson, of Nashville, Tenn., are visiting Mrs. Rupert E. Hall, on East Lake Drive, north.

News has been received from Mr. and Mrs. H. Clay Moore and Louise that they have left Havana, Cuba, and are cruising around in Florida waters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Kysor, have moved to East Lake to make their permanent home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ball, of East Lake, announce the birth of a son.

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FUNERAL DESIGNS

Exercises Held by Schools
In Honor of Georgia Day

"What It Means to Be a Georgian" was the subject of an inspirational address by Dr. M. Ashby Jones, pastor of the Ponce de Leon Baptist church, to more than 4,000 high school students in the Auditorium yesterday on the occasion of the formal exercises commemorating "Georgia day," which was observed by schools throughout the state.

The exercises were held at noon in compliance with an act passed by the legislature of 1909, February 12 is the official date, but the day was changed to Friday this year as Saturday is a holiday in the schools.

J. C. Little, assistant superintendent of schools, presided at the exercises in the Auditorium, and the program was arranged by him. Other officials present included Mayor James E. Cox and M. L. Brittain, state superintendent of schools.

Dr. Jones reviewed briefly the history of Georgia from the day in February, 1733, when Oglethorpe landed near Savannah down to the present time. He then told them of the illustrious deeds of Georgians in statesmanship and on the battlefield, ending with the opportunity of present Georgians to take their place not only as Georgians, but as citizens of the United States and the world.

Music furnished by the Tech High school band and choruses furnished by the Commercial High students and the Atlanta Normal school (colored) pupils gave an added zest to the program. Officials of the Joseph Habersham chapter, D. A. R., took an important part in the exercises, more than 200 members of this order being in attendance.

The celebration was the twentieth anniversary of the first exercises held in commemoration of the first settlement of Georgia. The first was held in 1901 at the state capital when Bishop Warren A. Candier made the principal address.

On February 2, Mrs. Ball was Miss Gladys Hunt, of Mechanics, Ohio.

H. J. Fullbright has returned to the city after a short business trip in South Georgia.

Mrs. J. B. Hunt, of Mechanics, Ohio, is the guest of her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ball.

Miss Helen Whitehurst is being delightfully entertained in Jacksonville, Fla., as the guest of Miss Anne Kate Adams. Miss Adams was formerly from Macon.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hudson and little Scott have closed their home at East Lake and are at Crystal River, Fla., for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Milner LaHatte announce the birth of a son, January 19, who has been named Milner LaHatte, Jr.

J. Floyd Carmichael is attending the Tile Dealers' association in Philadelphia, and will visit other eastern cities.

COLDER WEATHER BRINGS REDUCTION IN PRICE OF COAL

Atlanta saw a business phenomenon Friday. For, with the drop in temperature from the warm, sticky weather of the past few days to a point where fires and furnaces became necessary, came a corresponding drop in the price of domestic coal announced by two of the city's largest retail concerns.

The decline in coal prices put into effect by the Atlantic Ice and Coal corporation and the Campbell Coal company is on the best grades of fuel. Jellieco coal, previously sold at \$11 a ton, dropped to \$10 a ton at both yards and a corresponding decline in price was shown on both slack and steam fuel. The mines and relief of car shortage are given as the reasons for the reduction in retail cost.

FARMER AT AMERICUS WILL PLANT NO COTTON

Americus, Ga., February 11.—(Special.)—Not a lock of cotton will be produced during 1921 on the 177-acre farm operated by Ernest Arrington, at Maddox, four miles from Americus. Arrington, who moved recently from Leslie community, has all of his 1920 cotton crop stored in Americus warehouses, and says he will not sell at prevailing prices, nor until the cotton market reaches a price at least equal to the cost of production.

FEDERAL EXPERT
SAYS NEGRO DIED
OF ARSENIC DOSE

Macon, Ga., February 11.—(Special.)—Major H. C. Lightner, of the United States public health service, was the chief witness for the state today in the trial of M. C. Mitchell, negro physician and druggist, on trial for the murder of his nephew, Henry S. Mitchell.

He testified that Young Mitchell, a former ex-service man, came to his death by arsenic poisoning administered through the mouth; that he was present at the exhumation of the body; that he examined the intestines and that between 15 and 20 grains of arsenic were found in the stomach.

The witness was still under direct examination tonight when court was adjourned until tomorrow morning.

The state has completed the introduction of evidence in connection with the insurance policies aggregating \$24,000, which Mitchell carried on his nephew's life.

S. H. Heath, sheriff of Macon county, testified today that Henry Mitchell could not write his own name, and that signatures on the medical certificates were in the handwriting of the negro doctor. Dr. J. H. G. Williams testified that his name had been forged to one of the certificates.

The defense has summoned a number of witnesses to testify, but it is not known whether or not Attorney John R. Cooper will put them on the stand. Interest in the case is unusual, the court room and galleries being filled to capacity, mostly by negroes.

VETERAN CALLER OF MACON TRAINS DIES OF APOPLEXY

Macon, Ga., February 11.—(Special.)—Z. T. Rodgers, for more than 30 years a train caller at the Macon terminal station, died suddenly at his home on Cedar street today.

He was in the act of building a fire in an open grate when he was stricken, and one hand and one foot were badly burned. He died within a few minutes after being rescued from the flames. A coroner's jury held that his death was due to apoplexy. Mr. Rodgers was 72 years of age, and was a Confederate veteran.

He was known to every railroad man entering Macon, and to thousands of people throughout the state, who depended on him to direct them to their trains. Three sons, J. A. Rodgers, of New Orleans; George T. Rodgers, of Macon, and M. E. Rodgers, of Fitzgerald, and two daughters, Mrs. H. L. Rees and Mrs. William Smith, of Macon, survive him.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hermance Are Given
Farewell Dinner by Prominent Atlantans

The beautiful silver platter presented to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hermance Friday night at the farewell dinner tendered them by nearly 100 leading Atlanta citizens. The following inscription is in the center: "Presented to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Putnam Hermance by their friends in Atlanta, as a token of appreciation for unselfish endeavors in all things affecting civic uplift, war work, educational advancement and Christian citizenship." Engraved on the border of the platter are the names and emblems of the following organizations, in which Mr. and Mrs. Hermance were actively interested during their residence here: Baby milk fund, Tuberculosis association, city market, League for Women Voters, Women's club, Parent-Teacher association, Atlanta Advertising club, Associated Charities, Music Study club, Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, Sheltering Arms, Home for the Friendless, war savings stamp drive, city planning commission, Y. M. C. A., Atlanta Boy Scouts council, war camp community service, Rotary club, Agnes Scott college, state of Georgia, Red Cross, Oglethorpe university, Crippled Children's home, city of Atlanta.

The farewell dinner tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Hermance Friday night at the Ponce de Leon hotel, held in the public hall of the Capital City club, proved to be one of the most elaborate and beautiful social events of the season.

Mr. Hermance has been a leader in Atlanta's civic and commercial activities, and Mrs. Hermance has played a less important part in the various movements for the welfare of Atlanta. Mr. Hermance has been southeastern manager of the Woolworth interests in Atlanta for several years, and has just received a promotion to a newly-created position in Europe with that company, which removes his household from Atlanta.

As a permanent reminder of the regard in which Mr. and Mrs. Hermance are held by their Atlanta friends, they were presented with a beautifully-inscribed silver platter, the border bearing the emblems of the various organizations in whose work they have participated since coming to the city.

Lee Ashcraft was toastmaster. A number of guests paid tribute to the honor guests, and expressed profound regret at their leaving. Alfred Newell made an eloquent address in presenting the platter, and Mr. Hermance responded with deep emotion. Both he and Mrs. Hermance expressed their sorrow at leaving their circle of friends in Atlanta, and assured their hosts that Atlanta will always be "home" in their thoughts.

The ballroom was elaborately decorated. The walls were draped with flags and bunting, and the space between the oblong formed by the rows of tables, was a solid carpet of blue and white.

Addresses were made by the following leaders in Atlanta's civic, religious and society life: Rev. M. Ashby Jones, Eugene Black, Mrs. Irving S. Thomas, Mrs. Haynes McAdams, and Dr. Thornehill Jacobs. Music was furnished by an orchestra.

Covers were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hermance, Miss Helena Hermance, H. P. Hermance, Jr., Cyrus Edison, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ashcraft, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ashcraft, Mrs. Rebecca Ashcraft, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Boehm, John Brice, Mr. and Mrs. William Brownlee, Asa Canfield, Mrs. Arnold Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cane, Miss Constance Cane, Mrs. K. H. Comer, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Beaumont Davison, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ellis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ervin, Mrs. W. O. Foote.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Foreman, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ginn, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hick, Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Hinson, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Homan, Dr. Thornehill Jacobs, Dr. and Mrs. Ashby Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Kreiselsaber, Mr. and Mrs. John Lorraine, Mrs. Samuel Lumpkin, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McGill, Mr. and Mrs. Haynes McAdams, Mrs. Edgar Melles McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nevin, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Newell, Mr. and Mrs. E. Otter, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Peterson, J. B. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Rambo, Hattie Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spratt, Mr. and Mrs. Irvine S. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. David W. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White and C. T. Nunnally.

FLOOD WARNINGS
ISSUED ON RIVERS

Weather Bureaus Tell of Danger From Flooded Streams of Tennessee and Carolinas.

Washington, February 11.—Flood warnings have been issued by the weather bureau for the territory extending from the headwaters of the Tennessee river to Riverton, Alabama.

Additional warnings have been issued for the rivers of the Carolinas.

Asheville, February 11.—Flood warnings have been issued by the local office of the United States weather bureau for the French Broad river as far west as Danbridge, Tenn., and today the river is at flood stage, although no damage has occurred except high waters in the yards and basements of the plants along the water front here.

TENNESSEE STILL RISING.
Chattanooga, Tenn., February 11.—The Tennessee river here tonight had reached a stage of 31.6 feet and was slowly rising, the prediction being that it will be thirty-five feet by tomorrow morning. Roads in several outlying sections are already inundated, cutting off travel to and from the city.

Only one street car line has been affected so far, the track between the city and Rossville, Ga., being covered to an extent that prevents operation. The road to Walden's Ridge is blocked to travel, as is also that section lying east of Missionary Ridge.

While the backwaters are threatening residents in the lowlands, few have had to leave, but should

the river rise to a greater stage than predicted, many families will be affected. The city authorities have made arrangements to succor any victim of the flood.

Observer L. M. Pindell said tonight registered the river would reach 34.2 feet at Bridgeport, Ala., Sunday morning; 34 to 35 feet at Guntersville by Sunday night; 28 feet at Decatur by Monday morning; and between 25 and 26 feet at Florence by Monday night.

BROAD RIVER GOING HIGHER.
Union, S. C., February 11.—The Broad river continued to rise today and by nightfall it was six feet, six inches over the dam at Neal Shoals power plant, and within 4 inches of the windows of the power house.

Augusta, Ga., February 11.—The Savannah river here at 3 p. m. was at a standstill at 35 feet. No further rise is expected.

Montgomery, Ala., February 11.—Following heavy rains of Tuesday night and Wednesday the Alabama river passed flood stage at Montgomery shortly after noon today, registered 38.6 feet at 1 o'clock and the forecast indicated a maximum stage of 42 feet some time Saturday. At Selma the stage was 35.8 feet, and the river will continue to rise there until Monday or Tuesday.

Each seaplane attached to the United States naval air force, while in flight, is ordered to carry pigeons aboard for the delivery of messages when the craft becomes disabled.

Follow the Crowds to the Home Art Supply Co., 172-4 17th St., Hall Street.

The Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railway

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Atlanta, Ga.

Effective February 15, 1921, N. C. & St. L. Dixie Flyer (Trains 94 and 95) will use the Passenger Station of the N. C. & St. L. Ry., known as the Union Depot, in Atlanta, Ga.

Passengers desiring to travel North bound from Atlanta on this train should board the train at the above named station.

These through trains, carrying first-class coaches, Pullman and Dining Cars, are operated on following schedules:

Northbound Southbound

8:40 am Lv. Atlanta, Ar. 7:10 pm

1:00 pm Ar. Chattanooga, Ar. 2:50 pm

5:20 pm Ar. Nashville, Lv. 10:40 am

7:40 am Ar. St. Louis, Lv. 9:15 pm

7:45 am Ar. Chicago, Lv. 9:05 pm

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Propaganda Used
By Great Britain
Here, Says Borah

Senator Hints at Efforts to Deter America's Navy Building Program.

Washington, February 11.—The statement that he had received suggestions that Great Britain was "circulating propaganda" in this country to deter American naval building was made in the senate today by Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, during a general debate on disarmament. He understood, he said, that the facts were in possession of the navy department.

Senator Poindexter, republican, Washington, author of the senate naval committee's recent adverse report on Senator Borah's suggestion for a six months' naval holiday, in answer to a question whether the committee's investigation had disclosed any such situation, replied that there had been "some testimony" on the subject, but the committee did not believe it should be made public.

Agreement.
"If this information came to the hand of the navy department," Senator Borah said, "then congress should have it. We are informed that in the archives of the navy department there is proof of the propaganda conducted by Great Britain. At the same time we are told that the British ambassador is on his way here to suggest a disarmament conference."

Senator Borah again urged that an agreement be reached between the naval powers for reduction of building programs and also advocated a joint investigation to determine whether capital ships are tactically obsolete.

"It is an agreement reached between the United States and the powers competing in naval building," he said, "it will lead to war inevitably."

Opinions Presented.
Opinions of American, British, German and other naval experts that capital ships have become obsolete were presented by Senator Borah. He read from a letter by an American rear admiral, retired, who said:

"I would stake my life that in a few years a surface navy alone can go nowhere but to the bottom."

The name of the officer who wrote the letter, Senator Borah said, would be given to the naval committee if it was desired. The officer added, also wrote that the United States could never be attacked successfully by a power or combination of powers from overseas.

EX-ALIEN ENEMIES AT SAVANNAH ASK FOR CITIZENSHIP

Savannah, Ga., February 11.—(Special.)—Former enemy aliens by scores applied today in federal court here for naturalization, there being more from Germany, Austria and Turkey than from all other countries combined.

Applications for citizenship in Judge Beverly Evans court represented countries as follows: Germany, 20; Austria, 4; Turkey, 1; Great Britain, 1; Greece, 2; Norway, 1; Russia, 7; Italy, 3. Applications filed some days ago had not been considered by the government this week removed the ban on naturalization of former enemy aliens.

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The collection here is not large, but every garment included is thoroughly desirable in material, style and workmanship. And the price does not begin to compare with the service they will give.

About 25 coats in this group offer you choice that will please. As said above they were priced \$50 to \$60 earlier in the season and in every sense they were worthy of those prices. Today, \$19.75.

Women's Rain Coats \$8.75

Women's serviceable Rain Coats that were \$15 and \$19.75—including also a few Leatherette Coats that were \$25.00—all in a clearance today at \$8.75

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Thousands of School Children Present to Witness Impressive Ceremony of Court of Honor.

By far the most important scout gathering ever witnessed in Atlanta was held Friday night at the city Auditorium at which time every troop under the Atlanta scout council assembled in mass for the annual scout rally and demonstration.

Auditorium. Thousands of school children, who were the special guests of the boy scouts, came representing their respective schools. In addition large numbers of parents and friends, members of the Atlanta scout council were present to enjoy the program put on by the boy scouts.

Promptly at 8:00 o'clock the long line of kiwi-clad scouts, headed by Scout Commissioner W. A. Sutton started its march to be recognized.

The first feature of the program

was the song "America" by the entire assemblage. This was followed by: recitation of the scout oath and law-, lead by District Commissioner Arthur R. Dyer. Next on the program was the reading of a message from the president of the Atlanta scout council, Mell R. Wilkinson, by District Commissioner A. J. Stitt. Following the reading of President Wilkinson's message, District Commissioner A. L. Myers awarded service ribbons to scouts who had performed meritorious ser-

Many Receive Rewards

Wallace Alston, Harry Badger, Kenneth Bare, Horace Boyd, Thurman Chasteen, Virgil Clark, Samuel Colvert, Thomas Curtis, Haid Cook, Dobbins, L. V. Doehner, Graham Dozier, Edwin Gaun, William Gibson, Hietou Higgins, Robert Hogg, Albert Holt, Frank James, Gordon Keith, Charles Kelly, Carl Lippold, Howard McDade, James Napier, John Norman, Sanders Rowland, Alfred Stettin, William Slater, Billy Smith, Harry Stettin, William Stettin.

Harry Tarrant Gordon Neal White, Harold Williams, Harry Wolf, David Young, Robert Dillon, Millard Finch, Harry Maddox, John H. Porter.

Scout Executive A. A. Jameson was introduced at this time and made various announcements of interest to scouts assembled. He delivered to Scout Commissioner W. A. Sutton telegrams received from President-elect Warren G. Harding and Col. F. J. Paxson, chairman of the executive committee of the Atlanta scout council.

The message from President-elect Harding read as follows: "I am with the scout movement heart and soul. It is an organization teaching the spirit of service and honor which we must always have in our citizenship. It is a school of our democracy because in it, standing is won only by taking the equal opportunity given all individuals to show their own spirit, capacity and worth. I wish every boy in our America could have the opportunity

and the honor of being in the boy scout organization and of learning therein that co-operation, justice, the customs of fair play and the gentleness of good manner make for peace and growth as distinguished from the results of disorganization and selfishness and cowardice which lead to contentions and conflict."

Message From Col. Paxton

Col. Paxton, who is now in New York, sent the following telegram of greeting:

New York, N. Y., February 11, 12.02 a. m.
A. A. Jamieson, Scout Executive, Atlanta
Council, Boy Scouts of America, Atlanta,
Georgia:
Congratulations to the officers, members
of the council and others, but particularly
the Boy Scouts themselves, on their passing
another anniversary in the history of the
wonderful organization of Boy Scouts. Only
immemorial duty here prevents my being

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THE CONSTITUTION'S SPECIAL NEWS AND REVIEWS

Stock Market Observers Predict Activity Ahead

BY R. L. BARNUM

New York, February 11.—With prices on the stock exchange continuing within the narrow range of the past fortnight, close observers reached the point today where they were willing to predict that activity was ahead, with the price movement upward.

"The market cannot continue as at present," one of the best judges in the street remarked today, adding that "for weeks and weeks now professional traders have been crying low prices and that prices this morning were down to and are below the low level for last December. And certainly we have had enough bad news to put prices of stocks down if they were headed that way. But what has happened? With tighter money, receiverships, the row between railway executives and employees, dividends reduced or passed, and a lot of other bad news, the market has come to a dead halt, the five-hour day's turnover amounting to the average business of a couple of hours or less. Now, these bears that have been crying low prices have had time to sell all of the stock they wanted to and they are making no impression on prices. Therefore, I believe that the next turn will be up, and that it will come before March 4. What happens after that will depend on general trade conditions."

In the Day's News.

There was enough in the day's news to put the stock market down. First, it was learned that the much-discussed Reading dissolution plan that carried the common stock par value \$50 up last year from 64 1/2 to 100, is going to be along the lines followed by Southern Pacific in segregating its oil lands. It will be recalled that last year Southern Pacific shot up from 88 to 118 in November in expectation of the oil land distribution, and then dropped back in December to 19 when it was learned that the shareholders would be asked to pay for the stock of the new oil company—that is, for something they already owned.

From what was learned today, there is to be a new Reading oil company, with the same number of shares of stock as the present outstanding common and first and second preferred stocks. All of the holders of the present stock will be asked to pay \$10 a share for this new stock. But the holders of the common are to get \$12 par value of securities now held in the treasury. This means that there is going to be a fight. The Bankers' Trust company and the Commercial Trust company of Philadelphia are forming a protective committee to look after the interests of the preferred shareholders. The Guaranty Trust is doing the same thing for the common shareholders, and the J. P. Morgan & Co. is going to look out for the 4 per cent bondholders.

Empire Receivership.

Another unfavorable development was the appointment of receivers for the Empire Transport Oil company. This grew out of a meeting of shareholders a week ago, at which legal representatives of W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr.; B. R. Yoakum and other minority holders, charged the majority holders with mismanagement and diversion of assets. The Empire is controlled by the H. L. Doherty & Co. interests. Representatives of both factions were appointed receivers.

Peerless Truck and Motor cut its quarterly dividend rate today to 50 cents. Three months ago 75 was paid, and for the two preceding quarters \$1.25.

Dividends were passed by the Superior Oil company.

Inasmuch as the Standard Oil company of Indiana has been using the western pipe lines of Sinclair, Wall Street was not surprised to find that a half interest in that line had been sold by Sinclair to the Standard for a sum reported to be \$15,000,000. It has been known here, too, that Sinclair, like many other business men, was after money. Also, that his 7 per cent notes, due in 1925, are now selling on a higher than 10 per cent basis, which would make borrowing in the open market almost prohibitive.

Frisco announced today that it would cut wages of ordinary labor in Texas from 42c an hour to 25c. It is understood that labor can now be obtained in some parts of the south for \$2 a day. It is also understood that railway officials are sore at Gary, chairman of the steel corporation, for refusing to cut prices and wages.

Cuts in Metals.

Cuts in plates, bars and sheets of from \$2 to \$10 a ton below the steel corporation's quotations are now being made by the independents, according to today's dispatches from Youngstown, and a reduction of 20 per cent in wages is planned for the immediate future. Common labor is to be cut from 45 cents an hour to 36 against 1919, the wage scale in 1916, before the rapid advances began by one manufacturer bidding against another to get enough labor to get out high-priced orders. New business, Youngstown reports, is very small, and everybody is anxiously waiting to see what effect the price cuts will have.

A pointed out yesterday, the steel corporation did not begin to cut prices after the panic of October, 1907, until February 19, 1909; that is, until 15 1/2 months after orders began to fall off. And in the meantime, the independent, as Judge Gary pointed out, the state quoted yesterday, were cutting prices. But when the steel corporation started to cut, February 19, 1909, everybody knew that the turn for the better had come; that cuts had been made to get new business then in sight. No one knew this better than the bears in the stock market. Early in January of 1909, that is, on the 5th of the month, steel common was selling above 55, with the bears selling it short and predicting confidently that the price would go to 8 1/2, the low level following the 1903 trade reaction. On February 19, 1909, the day the steel corporation began to cut its selling prices, steel common sold at 48, a new low record for the year. But that day it also sold as high as 49 1/2.

Bears Disappointed.

The next week the price dropped to 41 1/2, with 948,663 shares changing hands. But the happiness of the bears did not last long. By April 1 steel common was selling above 50; before the end of May, at 60; on October 1, at 94 1/2, which stood as the high record for all time until war orders began to pile up in 1918.

Certainly the oil people are going after business. Today Pennsylvania crude was cut 50 cents a barrel, bringing the price down to \$4.25 against \$5.75 a month ago, \$6.10, last year's high, and \$2.95 for 1917.

Market Bulletin

Prices below are those which wholesalers are paying f.o.b. consuming centers. To arrive at retail prices, add 10 per cent for most favorable point. Quotations by state bureau of markets, state capital, Atlanta.

ATLANTA, AUGUSTA, MACON, SAVANNAH.	
Sweet potatoes (white), bulk, 100 lbs.	\$1.00
Sweet potatoes (yellow), bulk, 100 lbs.	\$1.00
Irish potatoes, per 100-pound sack	2.75
Cabbage (green cored), per 100 pounds	1.50
Field peas, per bushel	1.75
Black-eyed peas, per bushel	1.75
Brown-eyed peas, per bushel	1.75
Eggs, per dozen	.40
Hens and stage, per dozen	.42
Roosters, per dozen	.42
Poultry, 1 1/2 to 2 pounds, per pound	.25
Ducks, per pound	.22
Geese, per pound	.20
Turkeys, per pound	.20
Country butter (best table), per pound	.35
Country butter (cooking), per pound	.30
Dried apples, per pound	.45
Georgia cane syrup, per gallon	.45
Sorghum syrup, per gallon	.45
Corn meal, per 50-pound sack	2.10
Corn No. 2 (white), sacked, per bushel	.85
Corn No. 3 (white), sacked, per bushel	.80
Peas, per ton	23.00
Peas, per ton	22.00
Shucks, per ton	18.00

Past Nine Months Saw Heavy Fall In Commodities

After nine successive months of yielding, the general level of commodity prices, as measured by Dun's Index Number of wholesale quotations, is 29 per cent below the record of last May. The decline during January was slightly larger than that of December, being 4.4 per cent, as against 6.2 per cent in the earlier month, and compares with the maximum recession of 8.8 per cent in November.

As a result of last month's further deflation, the February 1 total marks the lowest point reached in exactly four years and the advance over the pre-war basis, which at one time exceeded 118 per cent, has narrowed to about 64 per cent. The index number has, therefore, lost considerably more than half the rise which occurred through the war period and afterward, and is 26.8 per cent under the figure of a year ago, when the price tendency was still upward.

With the exception of meats, which remained practically stationary, all of the seven divisions into which the index number is separated were lower on February 1 than a month previous, the largest de-

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

STOCKS	Sale	High	Low	Close	Prev.
American Beet Sugar	400	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
American Can	900	30	29 3/4	29 3/4	29 3/4
American Cigar	100	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
American Ice & Cold Storage	500	45 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
American International Corp.	500	45 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
American Lumber	100	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
American Smelting & Refining	100	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
American Sugar	100	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
American Talcum	100	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
American Tobacco	100	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
American Tea & Coffee	2,200	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
American Woolen	1,500	67 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
Anaconda Copper	1,500	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Armstrong	800	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line	100	84	84	84	84
Atlantic Gulf & West India	5,100	63 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	13,300	90 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	1,500	34 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Beckman Steel	1,300	27 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Central Leather	100	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Candler Motors	500	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio	100	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	800	27 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	1,300	25 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Chicago Copper	500	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Coca-Cola	500	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron	1,000	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Corn Products	1,000	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Crescent Steel	5,000	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar	2,100	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
General Electric	400	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
General Motors	1,000	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Great Northern, Pac.	1,500	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
Gulf States Steel	400	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Hillman Central	100	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Inspiration Copper	300	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Int. Merchant Marine	1,000	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
International Nickel	1,300	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
International Paper	1,200	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Kennecott Copper	2,500	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	100	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	10,000	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Miami Copper	200	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Middle States Oil	1,100	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Midvale Steel	1,000	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Missouri Pacific	800	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2

STOCKS ARE DOWN ON HOLIDAY EVE

Insignificant Trading and Trifling Price Changes Friday—Reading Is Feature.

New York, February 11.—Waiving all other adverse or negative factors, the impending double holiday was of itself sufficient to reduce operations in the stock market today to insignificant proportions and trifling price changes.

Reading was the only outstanding exception to the general rule, that stock being under persistent pressure as a result of reports which indicated that the segregation plan may prove unfavorable to common share holders. Interests identified with the company were quoted, however, as declaring that no definite plan had been formulated.

Trading otherwise was made up almost exclusively of the usual miscellaneous divisions, with a sprinkling of utilities, including People's Gas, Western Union Telegraph and Twin City Rapid Transit.

The bond market was dull to the point of extinction and changes in that quarter reflected the hesitant tone of stocks. Liberty issues were exceptional, virtually all of the 3 1/2s ending at gains. Total sales, par value, were \$9,125,000. A contract for the sale of \$7,000,000 in actual loans and discounts by clearing house banks emphasized the dull week in the stock market. Net demand deposits decreased by about \$17,500,000, and a cash gain of \$4,200,000 lifted reserve totals to about \$19,350,000.

All the leading foreign exchange markets were firm to strong, with reports of larger bids for sterling, French and Belgian francs and remittances to Switzerland, but Scandinavian rates registered little change.

CURB SECURITIES

Independent.		Oils.	W.	W.
Basin	2	1 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Central Oil	2	1 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
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